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SUBJECT: CCC CREDIT

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1. DURING SPENCER VISIT CITED REFTEL, GOP REQUESTED ADDITIONAL CCC CREDITS TOTALING ESTIMATED DOLS 22.5 MILLION FOR SEPTEMBER SHIPMENTS OF 50,000 METRIC TONS WHEAT, 110,000 YELLOW CORN, 45,000 GRAIN SORGHUM, AND DOLS 1.0 MILLION WORTH OF TALLOW (ABOUT 5.5 MILLION LBS.). SPENCER ASKED GOP TO RESTUDY LIST WITH VIEW TO EMPHASIZING WHEAT.

2. YESTERDAY 6/29, GOP MADE URGENT INQUIRY OF AMBASSADOR ABOUT POSSIBILITY OF OBTAINING ADDITIONAL CCC CREDITS TO HELP BALANCE SERIOUS SHORT-TERM PAYMENTS PENDING INITIAL DESBURSE-MENTS UNDER LARGE LOANS RECENTLY AGREED UPON BY U.S. AND 10 OTHER COUNTRIES. URGED TO RE-EXAMINE WHEAT AND FEED GRAIN NEEDS AND STORAGE POSSIBILITIES, MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE TODAY REQUESTED (ALSO FOR SEPTEMBER SHIPMENT) ADDITIONAL 40,000 MT WHEAT, 25,000 MT CORN, AND 25,000 MT SORGHUM.

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3. WE ESTIMATE THAT THE TWO CCC REQUESTS (GRAFS 1 AND 2) WOULD TOTAL ABOUT DOLS 32 MILLION.

4. AMBASSADOR REQUESTS EARLIEST POSSIBLE CONSIDERATION AND RESPONSE, BOTH BECAUSE OF PRESSING FINANCIAL NEED AND BECAUSE TIME IS GROWING SHORT FOR NEGOTIATING COMMODITY PURCHASES AND SHIPMENTS PRIOR TO END OF FY 77.

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